INVITATION TO BID

Notice is hereby given that the City of Kirkland will receive sealed bids in the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 123 Fifth Avenue, Kirkland, Washington, at 10:00AM local time on Wednesday May 22, 2013, for the project hereinafter referred to as:

2013 ANNUAL STRIPING PROGRAM JOB NO. 25-13-PW

At said time all bids will be opened and publicly read aloud. Each bid shall be accompanied by a bid proposal deposit in the form of a cashier's check or surety bond made payable to the City of Kirkland for a sum of not less than five percent (5%) of the total bid amount. No bid shall be considered unless accompanied by such bid proposal deposit. Incomplete proposals and proposals received after the time stated above will not be considered. Faxed responses are not acceptable.

The work to be performed under these specifications consists of furnishing all labor, tools, materials, and equipment necessary for construction of the **2013 ANNUAL STRIPING PROGRAM**. Specific work includes, but is not limited to, traffic control, TESC, installation of paint striping, raised pavement markers, plastic crosswalks, stop lines, bike lanes, lane marking symbols, curb painting as well as removal of worn paint and plastic markings. Contract award will be made to the lowest, responsible, responsive bidder based on the total of the base bid, Schedules A + B. The estimated cost for the base bid (Schedule A +B) is in a range of \$170,000 to \$185,000. In addition to the base bid (Schedule A +B), the City may choose to award a combination of Additive Schedules (Schedules C1 through D), as best serves the interest of the City.

<u>The City will not sell bid packages.</u> Plans, specifications, and addenda may be viewed and obtained online at *www.bxwa.com*. Click on: "Posted Projects"; "Public Works", "City of Kirkland". The Bidders List is maintained by the Builder's Exchange of Washington, Inc. Registration for the bidder's list may be made online, by phoning (425) 258-1303, or at Builder's Exchange of Washington located at 2607 Wetmore Ave, Everett, WA.

Questions regarding this project shall be submitted in writing to Gina M, Hortillosa via fax (425) 587-3844. Questions via phone or email will not be accepted. Bidders shall submit questions no later than 12:00 pm on Wednesday May 15, 2013.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to waive any informalities in the bidding, and to make the award to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder as best serves the interests of the City.

No bids may be withdrawn within forty-five (45) days after the actual date of the bid opening.

Barry L. Scott, C.P.M. Purchasing Agent

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